#### Today's Weather

Prince Rupert easterly wind; temperature, 38.

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Tomorrow's Tides Sunday, January 3, 1932

9:01 a.m. 20:4 ft. 22:11 p.m. 16:9 ft. 2:24 a.m. 8:3 ft. 15:46 p.m.

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# CREW OF JAPANESE STEAMER RESCUED IN PACIFIC OCEAN

### Grave Developments in India Are Anticipated; Crisis Seems Imminent

Lord Willingdon Rejects Terms of Nationalist Leader For Settlement of Political Disputes—Air Fraught With Feverish Anxiety

BOMBAY, India, Jan. 2:-Viceroy Lord Willingdon tonight rejected the terms of Mahatma Gandhi, Indian Nationalist leader, for settlement of political disputes of India and grave developments were believed to be imminent. The air in official circles is fraught with anxiety and the next developments are awaited with feverish interest. A crisis in Indian affairs appears to be about due.

### FIRE LOSS WASDOWN

1931 Than in 1930, Figures

During the past year the Prince | Sunshine in Prince Rupert for lowing is a record of fire calls and 1923 and 80.84 inches in 1928. loss in the city this year and last month by month:

	Fire	Records		
		1930	19	931
	Calls	Loss	Calls	Loss
January	8	\$10,030	5	\$ 108
February				
March			8	25
April	6	-	8	1255
May		20	5	-
June			3	-
July	4	7	3	33
August		25	3	-
September		20,600	4	200
October			0 3	6400
November		25	9	110
December		210	4	?
	75	31,749.70	60	?
-	-			

## Downtown Home

Two Residents of Prince Rupert's "Jungle" Fined This Morning On Theft Charges

Prince Rupert's "jungle," appeared month in 1930. Precipitation for pearls. Only the immediate rela- nue, repair foundation, \$200. in city police court this morning December 1931 amounted to 11.2 tives of the young couple were precharged with theft of effects from inches as compared with 15.48 in- sent. The gifts received were nu- general repairs, \$150. a cupboard in the Wallace Block be- ches in December 1930. Maximum merous and costly. longing to A. E. Parlow over the thermometer reading for the month | Major and Mrs. Wilby left on the nue, erect cabin, \$235. New Year holiday. Johnston and just ended was 52 above as com- afternoon boat for Terrace, where Suchet were each fined \$25, with pared with 53 above in the previous the will reside, many friends see-ment, while Morrison was dismis- December 1931 was 24 above as formerly on the teaching staff of +

#### DAY OF PRAYER FOR

LONDON, Jan. 2:-All Eng- + level. 29.15 on December 27. ♦ land will observe tomorrow as ♦ Maximum temperature, 52 on De- Constable L. S. Kingston is being ♦ this week and sold it the day ♦ # ing guidance as Great Britain # Minimum temperature, 24 on De- zelton to succeed in the service of # to pay the bill this morning, # \* enters upon one of the most \* cember 11. \* cr. ical years in her history. \*

#### WEATHER WAS BAD

Fewer Calls and Damage Less in Rainfall Higher Than Average in 1931 While Sunshine Was a Good Deal Below Normal

Repert fire department responded the year 1931 totalled 824.2 hours to sixty alarms as compared with as against 1,194.74 hours in 1930, 75 in the year previous. Owing to 1,253.3 hours in 1929 and 1,158.8 loss in a fire in December having hours in 1928, a summary of official yet to be finally adjusted, total figures reveals. While the sunshine estimated loss for 1931 cannot be for the year just ended was a good months of the year was \$8,131 as During 1931 101.31 inches of precicompared with \$31,549.70 in the pitation were recorded as against corresponding period of 1930. Fol- 85.33 inches in 1930, 82.45 inches in

> From the temperature standpoint 1931 weather was slightly below that of 1930. The highest thermometer reading for the year just ended was 74 above in June whereas the highest temperature in 1930 was 80 above in August. The mininium thermometer reading for 1931 was 22 recorded in March and November as compared with the 1930 low of 23 above in March.

The following	ng figur	res sum	mai	riz
weather condi	itions fo	or 1931	her	e:
		Rain		
	Hrs.	- In.	Ter	np
January	2.9	14.08	57	3
February	9.8	8.8	47	3
March	19.7	6.8	55	2
April				
May		8.42	71	3
June	128.7	1.77	74	4
July	125.5	287	71	4
August	93.1	5.7	70	4
September		8.1	64	4
October		13.4	49	3
November	63.1	9.47	54	2
December	15.8	11.2	52	2
Totals		101.31		

December Weather During the month of December a blouse of eggshell satin, with hat James Johnston, Frank Suchet 1931 there were 15.8 hours of sun- gloves and shoes to match, her eral repairs, \$350. and James Morrison, denizen of shine as against none in the same only ornaments being a necklet of pari-mutuel receipts and shoes to match, her only ornaments being a necklet of pari-mutuel receipts. Mr. Pullen said. The Australian ser-

> The weather summary for De-the principalship of the high e cember 1931 was as follows:

Highest barometer reading at sea ALL OF GT. BRITAIN + level, 30.23 on December 5. 4 Lowest barometer reading at sea

Mean temperature, 38.

Total precipitation, 11.2 inches. charge of the detachment there. Total sunshine, 15.8 hours.

#### A London Officers' Corps in Training



Want to buy a suit? Here's your chance. It's the London Merchant Tailors Officers' Training Corps but the trouble is they're charging. Which is not so good.

#### Despite Depression Building in 1931 Here Was Higher Than That Of Two Years Immediately Before

In spite of the general depression, building permits in definitely given although estima- deal below average, rainfall was the city of Prince Rupert during the year 1931, totalling ted fire loss for the first eleven considerably more than average. \$156,443 in value, showed a small increase over 1930's \$148,694.50 and a very marked increase over \$91,296.82 in 1929. Permits of 1931 were, indeed, within very close range of the \$160,379 recorded in 1928 well before the de-

of Major W. J. Wilby.

the bride was attended by the

bridegroom's sisters, the Misses

school at Terrace.

HAZELTON MOUNTIE

pression commenced. Permits issued in December 1931 were light at \$1,235 as compared with \$2700 in December 1930.

Following was the building list cupied. month by month in 1931, 1930 figures also being given for compar- PROFITS

,	of Major W. J. Wilby.		1930	1931
		January\$	4,600.00	\$ 2,890.00
	At 12:30 noon last Monaay in	February	26,735.50	14,860.00
0	Victoria a quiet but pretty wedding	March	9,100.00	9,518.00
	was solemnized at the First United	April	3,250,00	24.755.00
	Church manse, 777 Pemberton	May	15,290.00	23,250.00
	Road, when Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.	June	36,260.00	9,610.00
_	D., united in marriage Ruth Edna,	July	20,060.00	39,455.00
4	eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs.	August	11,875.00	16,000.00
4	Frank Eborall of Keatings, to Ma-	September		3.290.00
4		October	7,554.00	3,885.00
2	Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilby, Yates	November	3,400.00	7,695.00
0	Street.	December	2,700.00	1,235.00
0	Given in marriage by her father			-

Laura Wilby, and the bridegroom Ald. James Black. Alfred Street, six months which totalled \$460,000 was supported by his brother-in- repair foundation, \$100. law, Mr. Harry Robson. The bride T. Trotier, Second Avenue, alter- among the municipalities on the

looked charming in her travelling ations, \$200. suit of marine blue gabardine with V. Basso-Bert, Biggar Place, gen-

B. C. Telephone, Eleventh Ave- 1931 census.

compared with 33 above in Decem- the Victoria High School, leaving & CLASSIFIED BRINGS QUICK RESULTS FOR the city six months ago to assume RECENT ADVERTISER

> "Your classified advertise- + + ments certainly bring quick + BEING MOVED SOUTH & results," declared a man who 4 4 had advertised a baby buggy 4 transferred from Esquimalt to Ha- + adv. appeared. He dropped in + the Royal Canadian Mounted Po- + was very pleased with results + east wind; sea moderate. lice Corp M. P. Berger, who is being & obtained. transferred to Victoria to take

### CHINCHOW OCCUPIED

Japanese Did Not Have to Fire Shot in Taking Important Railway Point

MUKDEN, Manchuria, Jan. 2: | + around Galt. -General Kamura's Japanese brigade entered Chinchow at 2 o'clock this afternoon without firing a shot.

All Chinese soldiers had fled southward before the Japanese entered.

Quiet in Manchuria is expected now that Chinchow has been oc-

Municipalities of Province Receiv. ing Checks on Liquor Profits and Pari-Mutuel

VICTORIA, January 2-A tota buted by Hon. J. W. Jones, minister vertising and Sales Bureau of Vanf \$380,750.30 is now being distriof finance, as the municipalities' share of liquor profits for the period of six months ending Novem-\$156,443.00 ber 30 last. This is a decrease from the distribution for the preceding The liquor profits are apportioned basis of school attendance.

> The minister of finance is also distributing among the municipal- "But it is sure to happen before last year. This pari-mutuel distri- 000 miles via New York and Eng-This is a decrease of \$7,000 from bution is made on the basis of the land.

Amounts being sent to northern municipalities are as follows:

#### Liquor Profit Checks Liquor Pari-

THE RESERVE OF STREET	ruduor	Larr.
	Profits	Mutue
Prince George	\$1,972.92	\$ 771.
Prince Rupert	4,493.75	1,992.
Burns Lake	. 227.35	63.
Smithers	. 1,032.75	314.
Stewart	275.23	192.
Terrace	. 700.21	110.
Vanderhoof	486.53	99.

#### WEATHER REPORT

Dead Tree Point-Raining, fresh country on local telephone lists, + met with little, if any, success. \* southeast wind; barometer, 29:82; and Rumania has been added to + + + temperature, 40; heavy swell.

## Sinking Tamaho Maru Is Abandoned by Men Now on Another Ship

Had Fought Vainly For Sixty Hours Against Wintry Northern Seas-Being Taken to Japan on Reiyo Maru

SEATTLE, Jan. 2:- The crew of the Japanese freighter Tamaho Maru were safe today in the North Pacific Ocean after abandoning their sinking ship following a sixty-hour fight with wintry seas. A brief message relayed to the coastguard here last night told of the rescue by the steamer Reiyo Maru which had convoyed the Tamaho Maru for many hours. Forty-two men were taken off by the Reiyo Maru which is now proceeding towards Japan.

#### THOUSAND POLES DOWN IN ONTARIO TEMPEST

TORONTO, Jan. 2:-In ice + \* and slush, hundreds of line- \*

\* men toiled today to restore \* + storm - wrecked communica-\* tion lines throughout Western \* + Ontario. More than 1000 tele- + + graph and telephone poles col- + lapsed under burdens of New + + Year's Day sleet and snow. + + The damage was centred +

N. F. Pullen Tells of Wonders of Radio Telephony

modern radio telephony which enables Vancouver to talk to 25 countries and 32 million teiephones constituting over 85 per cent. of the telephones in the world were told in the Hotel Vancouver by N. F. Pullen, publicity managed of B. C. Telephone Company, a luncheon meeting of the Ad-

spaces not covered by land wires but modern engineering has made the radio hook-up as efficient as the wire.

Anyone in Vancouver can telephone to Australia at a cost \$57 for 3 minutes, but there is no long when someone is in a hurry

To Call Hawaii The rate on the new connection + + + + + +

with Hawaii is \$21 for 3 minutes so that anyone who wishes to send + MAYOR WILL REPORT New Year greetings to Hon. H. H. Stevens in Honolulu can do so for 44 Mr. Pullen explained.

electrical engineering.

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#### DEATH OF GEN. PAU

Famous French War Commander Expires Today in Paris at Age of Eighty-Three

PARIS, Jan. 2:-General Paul Gerald Pau, noted commander of French troops during the Great War, died today at the age of 83. Pau was listed among the immortals with Marshal Foch and Marshall Joffre both of whom have died within recent years. He will be accorded honors of state at his fu-

# UNIVERSAL Scotch Dance

O. D. E. Hall Scene of Delightful Affair on New Year's Eve

As has been the custom for many years, many young folks gathered together on Hogmanay night to spend the last hours of the old year in tripping "the light fantastic toe." The I. O. D. E. Hall had been prettily decorated and the Scotch orchestra, consisting of John Bremner, James Watt, J. B. McKay and J. L. Lee, played for Scotch dances while Mr. and Mrs. McKay played for Canadian dances The Highland Schottische, danced to bagpipe

strains, was especially enjoyable. Delightful refreshments were served at 11:30 p.m. after which Piper Leslie piped out the Old Year record of it having been done yet and all joined heartily in the New Year's welcome "A Guid New Year tae One an' a'."

Dancing and merriment were kept up until 2 a.m.

J. Hadden and D. Ritchie proved efficient masters of ceremonies.

#### TO COUNCIL MONDAY

that comparatively small sum. . Pending the making of his \* report to the city council at its \* Using a world map, Mr. Pul- + regular fortnightly meeting on + len gave a graphic picture of the | + Monday evening next, Mayor + reach of the human voice + Cyril H. Orme declined this + through the magic of modern | + morning to comment upon the + + results of his trip last week to + Brazil has just been added to + Victoria to confer with the South American countries that + provincial government in remay be reached. Bermuda has + gard to financing of municipal + Triple Island-Clear, light south- been added within two or three + unemployment relief work. It days. Sumatra is also a new + is understood that the mayor +